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SUBJECT: CHI CHAO-CHU'S REASSIGNMENT

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1. US AFFAIRS OFFICER DEPUTY DIRECTOR CHAO CHI-HUA HAS TOLD US THAT CHI CHAO-CHU IS NOW A DEPUTY DIRECTOR OF THE MFA'S INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATION AND TREATY DEPARTMENT. ASKED IF THIS WAS A PROMOTION, CHAO DESCRIBED IT AS A LATERAL MOVEMENT.

2. IN INFORMAL BANTER USLO OFFICER MILDLY CHIDED CHAO FOR CHINESE SIDE NOT GIVING US SOME WARNING ON TRANSFERS SO WE COULD HAVE THE OPPORTUNITY TO EXTEND APPROPRIATE COURTESIES SUCH AS A DEPARTURE LUNCH. HE ALSO ASKED IF ANY OTHER TRANSFERS INVOLVING PRCLO OR THE OFFICE OF US AFFAIRS WERE IN THE WORKS. CHAO RESPONDED THAT THE CHI TRANSFER CAME UP VERY SUDDENLY AND THAT HE DID NOT KNOW OF OTHER CHANGES PLANNED AT THE MOMENT. HE CLAIMED NOT TO KNOW WHO WOULD REPLACE CHI, ALTHOUGH HE LATER RAISED TING YUAN-HUNG'S NAME IN ANOTHER CONTEXT WHICH SEEMED TO SUGGEST TING MAY BE IN THE RUNNING FOR THE ASSIGNMENT. FOR THE RECORD, THE MFA PEOPLE HAVE PUMPED US AT GREAT LENGTH ON USLO TRANSFERS THIS SUMMER AND WE HAVE RESPONDED BY GIVING THEM INFORMATION ON OUR CHANGES. BUSH

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